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Report for week ended July 2 and month of June, 1904—Sanitary conditions not good—Mosquitoes.

During the week ended July 2 bills of health were issued to 3 vessels. Upon inspection these vessels were found in good sanitary condition; no sickness among a total crew of 59.

Month of June, 1904: Vessels inspected and bills of health issued,

16; crews inspected, 440; passengers inspected, 1.

All of these vessels were in good sanitary condition; no sickness on board.

Mortuary report for June, 1904.—Tuberculosis, 13; malaria, 2; diphtheria, 1; tetanus, infantile, 2; diseases of the heart and blood vessels, 13; diseases of kidneys, 3; diseases of the liver, 3; gastro-intestinal inflammations, 13; la grippe, 1; old wounds received in war, 32; other causes, 18; total, 104.

This is an extremely high death rate for this city. It is the largest

number of deaths for any month since January, 1900.

The sanitary condition of the city is very bad at present. Stagnant water is present in all parts of the city, and mosquitoes of all varieties abound in great numbers.

Reports from Habana—Smallpox death at Las Animas hospital.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Echemendia reports, June 30 and July 6, as follows: Week ended June 25, 1904:

Vessels inspected and bills of health issued, 26; crews of outgoing vessels inspected, 919; passengers of outgoing vessels inspected, 363.

In the mortuary report of this week there is a death from smallpox, which occurred at Las Animas hospital. This is not the same case that was sent to that hospital from the steamship *La Navarre* a few weeks ago and which is now convalescing. This new case has, in all probability, been contracted from that case in the hospital.

Mortuary report of Habana during the week ended June 25, 1904.

Disease.	Number of death
Tuberculosis	
Meningitis	
Bronchitis.	_[
Cancer	-
Pernicious fever	
Enteric fever	
Enteritis	
Pneumonia	-
Diphtheria	-1
Leprosy	-!
Smallpox	
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Total number of deaths, 134.

Week ended July 2, 1904: Vessels inspected and bills of health issued, 19; crew of outgoing vessels inspected, 809; passengers of outgoing vessels inspected, 565; pieces of freight passed (salted hides), 250.